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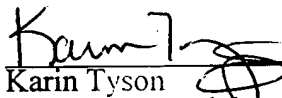
Dear Mr. Read:

Transmitted herewith is a copy of the application for patent term extension of U.S. Patent No. 5,712,155 (now Reissue Patent No. 36,755) and a copy of the reissued patent. The application was filed on November 22, 2000, under 35 U.S.C. § 156.

The patent claims a product that was subject to regulatory review under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act. Subject to final review, the subject patent is considered to be eligible for patent term restoration. Thus, a determination by your office of the applicable regulatory review period is necessary. Accordingly, notice and a copy of the application are provided pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 156(d)(2)(A).

The original patent included claims

Inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-3159 (telephone) or (703) 872-9411 (facsimile).


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Dear Mr. Read:

Transmitted herewith is a copy of U.S. Patent No. Re. RE 36,755. Please use this patent number instead of U.S. Patent No. 5,712,155 in connection with the application for patent term extension for the human biological product ENBREL®, which was filed on December 22, 1998, FDA Docket No. 99E-1086.

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